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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re U. S. Patent Application of
Robert Swensen and Honorio S. Luciano

Serial No.: 09/361,849

Filed: July 27, 1999

For: "SURFACE MOUNT ELECTRICAL
DEVICE WITH MULTIPLE
PTC ELEMENTS"

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Examiner: K. Easthom

Group Art Unit: 2832

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF SEPTEMBER 15, 2000

Dear Sir:

The present response is being submitted within the one month shortened statutory period for response and is, therefore, timely. The Examiner has imposed a restriction requirement, stating that the embodiments of Figure 1, Figures 2 & 6, and Figure 3 are separate inventions. Applicants hereby select claims 1-11 which are drawn to Figure 1 for examination.

Applicants request that the Examiner call the undersigned attorney if the Examiner has any questions concerning this Response, or if it will expedite the progress of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: October 16, 2000

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X Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified Application.

X The fee for the Amendment has been calculated as shown below:

				Small Entity		Other Than Small Entity	
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee	Rate	Additional Fee
Total	22	- 22	= 0	x \$9	-0-	x \$18	-0-
Independent	2	- 3	= 0	x \$39	-0-	x \$78	-0-
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claims				x \$130	-0-	x \$260	-0-
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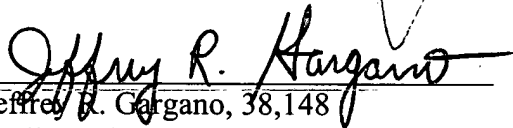
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- ☒ Any filing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 for the presentation of extra Claims.
- ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.

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